

**REMARKS**

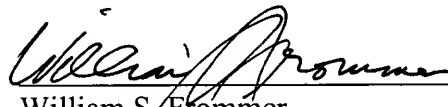
In the Office Action under reply, the Examiner kindly noted that claims 12-27 are in condition for allowance. To expedite the prosecution of this application to its successful conclusion, claims 1-11 are canceled, thus leaving only allowed claims 12-27 in this application. Accordingly, this application now is in condition for allowance.

Applicants will file a continuation to continue the prosecution of claims 1-3, 5-8 and 10-11.

Please charge any additional fees that may be needed, and credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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